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**OFFER PRIZES
FOR CAMPAIGN
POSTER IDEAS**

Good Roads Association Calls Children
of State to Aid in \$50,000,000
Bond Issue—Cash
Prizes Given

**TO BE UNDER ASCPICES
OF KY. WOMEN'S CLUBS**

LOUISVILLE, Oct. 17.—In order to be used in the \$50,000,000 bond issue campaign, the Kentucky Good Roads Association is planning to hold a contest among the school children of the state and award a long list of liberal cash prizes to those who furnish the best ideas on the subject.

The Federation of Women's Clubs will be asked to hold the contest under their auspices and this question will be passed upon by the Board of Directors of that body which meets in Lexington today.

The amount and number of prizes to be offered, together with other conditions of the contest, will be announced in a few days.

"As Kentucky's bad roads mean such a loss to the school children, we feel that a message from within on the subject to the people of the state will be well worth hearing," said Eustace L. Williams, Executive Secretary of the Association, in announcing the contest. "We are particularly anxious to interest the country children in this contest. In their efforts to get an education they know best how much the mud roads of winter and spring are hindering them."

The contestants do not necessarily have to possess artistic talent to submit their ideas. They may do so by diagram or express them in writing if they prefer. The conditions of the contest will be mailed out during the next few days to all school children of the state.

Want Message From Children

The Kentucky Good Roads Association announces the contest as follows:

"We want to bring to the people of Kentucky a message from the school children themselves, on the subject of good roads. We feel that they are well qualified, particularly the many thousands in the rural districts who for most of their school years must struggle against the mud, to give such a message."

As a stimulus to their interest and as an incentive to let us see their best thought upon the subject, the Kentucky Good Roads Association has decided to hold a contest among all the school children of the state and award liberal cash prizes to those best able to give expression to what they have endured by reason of bad roads, and the blessings that will come to them from good roads. We will ask that these ideas be expressed in a pictorial form, though the contest will not be limited merely to those possessing artistic skill, a diagram illustrating the idea will be sufficient or contestants may write sufficient or contestants may express their ideas in writing.

It is our intention to have competent artists take these ideas or good roads messages which we will thus receive from the school children who win in the contest and work them into posters for use in our campaign. Where the artistic execution is good enough by the contestants to merit reproduction it will be used as received.

The conditions of the contest will be made known during the next few days.

Roads and Schools

We hope to have this contest held under the auspices of the Kentucky Federation of Women's Clubs. Their Board of Directors meets at Lexington tomorrow when they will consider the matter and let us know whether we can rely on them to help us.

The United States census shows that there is more illiteracy in Kentucky than in any one of 12 other states in the Union. There are only four other states worse off in this respect than we are. This cannot be attributed to poverty, because our per capita wealth compares very favorably with that of many other commonwealths; we are far better off in this respect than we are in education.

Much the same comparison can be made in the matter of roads. In other words, we can afford good schools and good roads, but have so far failed to provide them.

The Kentucky Good Roads Association believes if there is any one reason more outstanding than the others why we should build our primary system now, by the bond issue plan, than

**FATAL ACCIDENT
TO LOCAL MAN**

E. L. Butcher Killed Yesterday in Attempt to Board Moving Train at Edgewood

Edward Urban Butcher, 25, was almost instantly killed yesterday afternoon at Edgewood when he attempted to catch a local freight to Middlesboro after it had started. As he attempted to board the train, his clothing is believed to have caught some way, causing him to be thrown under it. The car wheels passed over the body, cutting both legs off. He lived only a few minutes after the accident.

Young Butcher was the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Butcher, of Binghamtown, both of whom survive him, together with his wife, and three sisters, Mrs. William Hampton, Misses Nola and Adie Butcher, all of this city. He was married last December 25 to Miss Willa Mae Rowlett.

Funeral service will be held at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning at the residence, conducted in the absence of a pastor at the M. E. church, where he was a member, by Dr. R. E. Douglas. Burial will be in Colson cemetery. The following men will act as pallbearers: Edward L. Johnson, C. G. Covey, Edward McGhee, Roy Elam, Carl Curry, Marshall Maples and Lewis F. Robinson.

Butcher had an enviable war record. He enlisted early in 1917 while still in high school, and went overseas in 1918 where he saw service as a messenger between posts. He was wounded in the Aisne-Marne offensive in July and again in the Meuse-Argonne offensive in October. After the Armistice he served for some time in the army of occupation.

On his return he was employed as timekeeper for the V. I. C. Co., an hule and recently he has been in the employ of the Clinch Coal Co., at Edgewood. He was returning from work there when the accident occurred.

**TREND WHOLESALE
PRICES UPWARD**

Cloth Shows Greatest Increase With Foodstuffs Next—Decrease in Building Material

Associated Press

WASHINGTON, Oct. 17.—The trend of wholesale prices which have been generally downward since May, took a decided upturn in September, it was shown in statistics compiled by the Department of Labor, which indicated an advance of nearly 2 1/2 per cent on 404 commodities. Cloth and clothing showed greatest increase of four and one half per cent. Farm products rose three and one half per cent with corresponding increase in food groups. Building materials showed a decrease of more than two per cent.

**OPERATORS REFUSE
PINCHOT'S DEMAND**

Decline to Stop Selling Coal to Dealers Governor Says Are Profiteering

Associated Press

NEW YORK, Oct. 17.—Some coal operators who recently conferred with Governor Pinchot of Pennsylvania have declined his demand that they stop selling coal to profiteering dealers. It was learned here today. The Governor asked them to discontinue selling these dealers because they charged more than the executive deemed necessary, to meet the increased wage.

Hobo Prisoners Escape

George Haywood and Mr. Sordille, held as prisoners here for hobos, escaped from guards while they were working on the East End detour yesterday afternoon and made their getaway.

delaying its construction an indefinite length of time by the present method of building, it is to provide ways for our Kentucky children to get to school. If the roads are built, good schools will quickly follow.

Our proposed system of hard surfaced highways, 1,175 miles in length, will take care of more than 50 per cent of the state's vehicular traffic, and for that reason afford a very large percentage of the children quick and easy communication with their homes and the schools they now try to attend, weather and bad roads permitting or would attend if they were not isolated in their homes by the mud during most of the scholastic year.

**ALASKA MOUNTAIN MOUNTS WITH
GROWING PAINS, GEOLOGISTS SAY**

SKAGWAY, Alaska, Oct. 17.—Mount St. Elias is 18,024 feet high today—but wait until it's through growing! It may get taller than Mount McKinley and even take the world-wide leadership from Mount Everest.

St. Elias is a rapidly growing little cuss. Already St. Elias is third highest of North America's peaks—and it is a mere infant, geologists declare. One of science's favorite sports these days is watching St. Elias grow. And it is performing, too, scientists tell the world.

Mount St. Elias is in southeastern Alaska, part of the St. Elias range, which forms the boundary between American and Canadian territory. Its lower sides and base are buried in massive glaciers, which stretch along the coast for more than 100 miles. It is just a few miles inland from Yakutat Bay. This makes St. Elias visible from steamers traveling fairly close to shore.

Quakes Responsible
Rising from the coast through its glaciers Mount St. Elias presents a vista not to be found elsewhere—a sheet, sweep from ocean to sky, with nothing save low lying glaciers to break the view of the mountain.

But to get back to growing mountains—

It's not the climate, geologists say, although it is admitted that perpetual snow is an asset to a peak's beauty.

Rather, it is geological formation that makes St. Elias grow. The St. Elias mountains were formed by the earth's uplift, involving folding and faulting. Mount St. Elias is still actively growing, growth being accomplished by movements of the earth along a series of fault lines. Through these, the mountain block is being uplifted.

Earthquakes are the "growing pains" of the mountain's growth. In addition to sending the peak closer to the sky, these tremors have also made many changes in the Yakutat district "growing pains."

The last big growth recorded for Mount St. Elias occurred late in 1899.

**PROSECUTION OF
WAR FRAUDS HALT**

Judge Sater of Ohio Holds Government Suits Not Specific—Millions Involved

Associated Press

WASHINGTON, Oct. 17.—A score or more government prosecutions in war fraud cases involving construction of the army cantonments will probably be halted in view of yesterday's decision by Federal Judge Sater of Ohio. In a post case involving Camp Sherman, Ohio, the decision will affect war fraud prosecutions is not yet determined but it became known today that actions would be suspended at least until counsel for the government can look into the question. Cases already filed involve nearly one hundred million Sater's decision held the government's suits were not specific and that cantonment builders were not trustees for the government.

**M. TODDS LEASES NEW 363-
ROOM HOTEL AT ASHLAND**

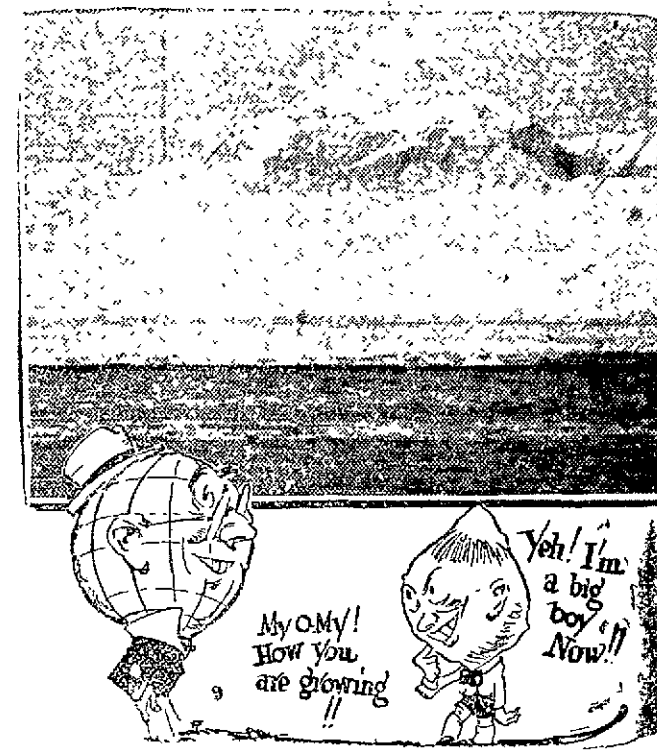
M. Todds, proprietor of the Hotel Cumberland, was here yesterday on his monthly visit to the hotel. Mr. Todds is well pleased with the hotel and the business here. He has recently shown his further confidence in Kentucky by leasing the new hotel at Ashland, for a period of 25 years, at \$75,000 a year. This new hotel has 251 rooms for guests, and 28 kitchenette apartments which are made up of 112 rooms. This makes a total of 363 rooms in the hotel. Mr. Todds will spend \$200,000 furnishing it.

**ZEVE FINE IN LAST
SPEED TEST TODAY**

America's Hope in International Saturday Does Mile and Quarter in 2:00

Associated Press

NEW YORK, Oct. 17.—Zev, America's hope in the \$100,000 international race with Papyrus next Saturday, flashed a brilliant workout today at Belmont Park, in the horse's final speed test before the match with the English Derby winner. Zev turned a mile and a quarter in 2:00, ended up and was going strong at the finish.



MOUNT ST. ELIAS, THE GROWING MOUNTAIN, SEEN FROM THE OCEAN, WITH GLACIERS IN FOREGROUND.

A cataclysmic upheaval shook a wide area in southern Alaska. It apparently centered in the Yakutat region. The few whites and the natives who were fishing there at the time, declare the earthquake shocks, of unusual violence continued for 17 days.

And Mount St. Elias grew taller as a result. Likewise, Yakutat Bay's permanent recesses were changed about. On the shore of Disenchantment Bay closest to Mount St. Elias, the beach was raised from seven to 47 feet. On the opposite side, there was a corresponding depression. In the bay, two reefs appeared.

High above the reach of the present highest waves, the west shore shows, rock benches, caves, pebbles and other evidences of seawater activities. Scattered through these are the remains of marine life, left high and dry by the upheavals. Barabaras and

mussel shells are found many feet from the water, still clinging to ledges. Marine growth always below low tide level are also out of the water, while there are several lines of driftwood etc., some distance apart, each marking a former water level.

Sunk Elsewhere
Compensating for this rise is the depression elsewhere. As a result, a forest formerly bordering the shore line is now in the water. Waves running through the trees are beginning to kill the trees.

The U. S. Geological Survey, which sent a party of scientists to study the phenomenon, found unquestionable evidence of the mountain's growth.

In the course of a few hundred years, Mount St. Elias, at this rate, ought to be a real sizable little hummock—while Disenchantment Bay may be moved from Alaska to Panama.

**WORK ON NEW
DOUBLE TRACK**

Line to Baileys to be Done This Year—Outlet to C. C. & D. May Be Through Here

A steam shovel has already been put to work on the newly proposed L. & N. double track on the K. & V. line, between Acosta and Lynch, and up Clover Creek and Martin's Fork. Next week two more shovels will be added. Company men will be used mostly on this work and it will be pushed, as the other double track line has.

Active construction is going on on the double track between Baileys and Wallend and this line will evidently be completed by the end of the year. Rumors are current in various places on the route the L. & N. will take to connect up Southeastern Kentucky with the C. C. & O. W. L. Mapother, president of the L. & N. stated positively recently, it was leaned here today, that though there are eight different ways for this outlet to go, none of them will be considered seriously until the Interstate Commerce Commission approves the L. & N. O. lease. If the L. & N. O. does this, the L. & N. will get busy immediately, make preliminary surveys of all eight of these outlets, and decide which is best. Those lines most favorably spoken of by outsiders are: up Yellow Creek and through Middleboro to Rose Hill and then out through to Spears Ferry, and the other route is up Martins Fork, tunneling through to Rose Hill and then on to Spears Ferry where connection is made with the C. C. & O.

**PIONEER ASSOCIATION
MEETS IN FRANKFORT**

FRANKFORT, Ky., Oct. 16.—Erection of a memorial to the pioneer men and women of Kentucky will be discussed at a meeting of the Kentucky Pioneer Memorial Association here Friday, October 19, according to letters sent out by Bishop Charles C. Woodcock, Louisville, honorary chairman of the association. The memorial is to be erected at Harrodsburg through efforts to leading men and women of the state who have promised assistance.

**LAMENTS LOSS OF
\$30,000 LIQUORS**

Rum Runner Tells How Fisherman Held His Ship Out, Robbed of Contents

Associated Press

YARMOUTH, Nova Scotia, Oct. 17.—Captain John Sims of a rum-running dominion packet arrived here today and told how Long Island fishermen turned high jackers, boarded his ship and at the point of guns robbed him of \$64,000 cash and liquor valued at \$30,000. He returns home with nothing but experience in what promised to be a profitable voyage.

**PROSPECTS FOR
FOOTBALL BRIGHT**

M. H. S. Unbeaten First Three Games, Plays Harlan Friday—All Men in Good Shape

Football prospects at present are perhaps brighter than ever before in the history of the sport in Middlesboro. The third consecutive victory last Saturday, over the heavy and formidable Lebanon team, gave the confidence in themselves and the public confidence in them. The boys go to Harlan Friday for the next game and Middlesboro is counting heavily on them winning at this time.

The boys are in prime condition. There have been no serious injuries this year and every boy that started the season is still at work. All of them are keeping training well and this probably accounts for their good condition. They went through the game Saturday, but as it was, without stopping to take time a single time. Then, clean game, too, won the praise of the opposing team. Harlan, which is a contender for the state championship and plays St. Xavier's at Louisville next Saturday expected to beat Middlesboro last week and it was a great surprise to them not to.

Twenty men will make the trip to Harlan Friday, leaving here on the morning train. Some promising substitutes are being taken on this trip to encourage them.

Middlesboro knows very little about Harlan's team this year, though, with a new coach from the University of Kentucky, it is understood that they have a good team. They beat Richmond 14 to 6 last week. Good feeling has been restored between Harlan and Middlesboro high and the bad feeling of last year, it is understood, has been forgotten by both teams.

**3209 VOTERS ARE
REGISTERED HERE**

Almost 800 More Than Ever Before—2950 Republicans to 953 Democrats

The total registration for Middlesboro, as finally announced from the registration officers, is 3209 instead of 2871 as given in this paper yesterday. This official number is almost 800 more persons than have ever registered in this city before. The next number was around 2150 at the time of the presidential election in 1920. The last registration was about 1900.

The total registration is divided as follows: 1321 Republican men and 779 Republican women or 2100 Republican voters; 563 Democrat men and 130 Democratic women, or 693 Democratic voters; 84 Independent men and 32 Independent women, or 116 Independent voters.

**MARION SHERIFF
KILLS CONSTABLE**

Both Participants of Shooting Duel Past Fifty—Trouble Over Payers Not Served

Associated Press

MARSHALL, Tex., Oct. 17.—B. B. Rogers, sheriff of Marion county, and Constable W. B. Pactor both past fifty years of age met on the street here last night and without words began shooting at each other. Shots from their pistols crossed. The constable shot the sheriff through the head and the constable fell with a bullet in his heart. According to police the trouble apparently arose through court papers given the constable but being served.

**K. OF L. ENROLLMENT
DOUBLE IN FIVE YEARS**

Associated Press

LEXINGTON, Ky., Oct. 17.—The total enrollment of students at the University of Kentucky has more than doubled in the last five years, according to figures compiled by the registrar. In the years 1916-17, 1,353 students attended the university, and during the summer session students that year marked the arrival of the first Frank L. Meyer, and the change in name of the institution from state university to its present title. For the year 1922-23 the enrollment has already reached 3,136.

When James K. Patterson became president of the university in 1908 the institution had a student enrollment of 285 with six family members. No women were then admitted and not until fifteen years later did they gain this privilege. In 1923 the school had its first graduate, a degree being given to W. B. Munson.

**LLOYD GEORGE
CANCELS DATES
PLANNED TODAY**

Doctors Order War Premier to Bed Because of Cold and Temperature to Forestall Harding or Wilson Experience

NOTES TO KEEP SPEAKING ENGAGEMENT TONIGHT

Associated Press

CHICAGO, Oct. 17.—David Lloyd George cancelled all engagements today, but hopes to keep a speaking engagement here tonight. Owing to continuance of slight temperature, doctors ordered him to remain in bed for a day. His cold has been aggravated by fatigue, his secretary said. He added that with so much of his tour ahead and with the example of President Harding's death and former President Wilson's breakdown on his tour, he felt that the former premier's health must be given the best of care.

**HOW CAN A POOR
MAN GET AHEAD?**

True Stories of Wage Earners and Salaried Men and Women who Found Financial Independence

That 200-million-dollar cash balance Henry Ford is said to carry, and how he got it, that's interesting reading. It's instructive to read how John D. Rockefeller, Charles M. Schwab, George F. Baker, John G. Shedd and a score of other "shirt-sleeve" millionaires came up by their own, sheer, unaided ability. Maybe another Rockefeller or a Schwab of a Baker can read it and find the way to go and do likewise. But it doesn't apply to millions of men and women, everyday folks who haven't Rockefeller ability and who are asking themselves, "How can I get ahead give more to my family, own a home, have an assured income for old age?"

To answer these questions I have gone to wage earners and small salaried men and women, mail carriers, teachers, ministers, clerks, a washer woman and I have found a surprising number who have accumulated enough money to be wholly or partly financially independent. Their way of getting ahead is doubtless more practical for the average person than that of Ford or Rockefeller. Every instance related herein is absolutely true. The names are changed entirely, in deference to the wishes of these twelve, average, everyday folks who have got ahead or are well on the road. I give the postman's story. He has never earned more than \$1,800 a year, yet he and his wife could afford, and took a 7-months vacation tour of Europe. The postman's story:

You don't get something for nothing," said the postman. "That's the first big thing I learned in trying to get ahead. I was an orphan at six weeks, and a new boy at six years. I found out terribly early that you've got to put something by for bad luck. I got \$200 a year when I entered the postal service. I regularly put by at least 10 per cent every pay day. Put it in a savings account. When I'd got a few hundred dollars I'd put it in safe bonds."

"How'd I know what securities to buy? I didn't and don't. But I can read the newspapers, can't I? I've never forgotten that you don't get something for nothing. I know there are shares waiting for unfortunates' investments, like me—read of fake oil promotions and 'bucket-hops' in the papers. I simply looked and asked for reliable investment security dealers until I was sure I had a good dealer. He put my investment securities in. I didn't pick up investments. I picked men who made a business of making investments, and who I was sure were honest and knew their business. That's all there is to it."

How did you do it, then, not so old—I was in the Navy during the war. That was the first time we ever used any of our interest. My wife lived very comfortably on it while I was getting \$100 a month in the Navy. Before that, every interest payment went into savings, and then into more bonds. The second time we spent interest money was when we went to Europe after the war. We were in France, England, Italy, Denmark, Germany and Sweden for several months. My investments yield around 6 per cent. I never bought stock on margin."

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A THOUGHT

Peace be within thy walls, and prosperity within thy palaces.—Ps. 122:7.

I am a man of peace. God knows how I love peace; but I hope I shall never be such a coward as to mistake oppression for peace.—Roosevelt.

BOOST FOR THE BOND ISSUE

The people of Kentucky are facing the question of whether or not this state will adopt a method of building a permanent system of highways, as assured by the \$50,000,000 bond issue, or leaving the matter to the big and messy method of allowing the improvements to go on as fiscal courts see fit or as the exigency of political expediency direct. The question is now directly up to us, and in the present gubernatorial campaign it figures largely, not only as to whether or not the bond issue should be passed but also to the calibre of the men selected on the State Highway Commission, charged with the expenditure of the money.

Kentucky must not remain a "debt-ridden state." All of her sister states are adopting large bond issues in order to construct a primary system, and surely Kentucky must not be left as the only tardy one to come into line. There is but one satisfactory method of constructing a primary system, and that is through the funds secured through the sale of bonds and through their administration by a competent, experienced and non-partisan commission as proposed by Mr. Dawson. The burden of a bond issue to the state is not nearly so great a burden as impassable roads and isolated districts. Not only that, but the property of the state, the taxes from the increased valuation of the property of the state brought about by the construction of good roads in every section will retire the public debt with a facility that would surprise any opponent of the plan. Such a debt could not be considered a waste of public funds but as an investment which would yield large returns not only for the present generation but for generations to come.

In a short time the remaining links at Harboursville and Corbin will be completed, and the people of Bell county have a good outlet to Lexington, Louisville, Cincinnati and all points north. Everybody hurrahs for this splendid outlet, and if we had the funds as provided by a bond issue and if we had the commission which would build the system of highways which our state needs, we would soon have every section of the state enjoying the opportunities for growth and development which they bring.

THE IDEAL CITY

The American City Magazine for October, 1924, contains an article on "The Ideal City," taken from an address by President Benjamin Harrison in 1897. In reading the article one is impressed with the simple beauty of the town President Harrison pictured as being ideal, but a deeper glance into the thought of the article reveals that it was the inhabitants of the former President's dream town that were ideal:

"It must be a city where people diligently mind their own business and the public business, and do both with decent regard to the judgment and rights of other men; a city where there is no boss rule on anything; where all men are not brought to the measure of one man's mind, or to the measure of one man's will; a city whose citizens are brave and true and gener-

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ous and who care for their own; a city having the community spirit, but not the communistic spirit, where capital is respected, but has no temples; a city where people live in homes, where there is room for a morning glory or a sweet pea; where fresh air is not delivered in piped cups; where the children every day can feel the spring of nature's green carpet, where people are not so numerous as to suggest that decadence might promote the general welfare; where brains and manners, and not bank balances, give ratings to men; where there is neither flaming wealth, nor envious poverty; where life is comfortable and toil honorable; where municipal reformers are not hysterical, but have the habit of keeping cool; where the judgment of a capital, and not the narrowness of the province, prevails; where the commerce in goods is great, but not greater than the exchange of thought and of neighborly kindness."



Well, funny news is so scarce we wish it would snow in Africa or Bryan or Ford say something.

News from King Tut. Carter wants to open the tomb. But he finds a fly-er or filling station.

Who knows what they will find in Tut's tomb? We don't. May even find that no banana song.

One thing that probably will be found in Tut's tomb is a set of pre-election promises to voters.

No doubt Tut's tomb contains writings proving the younger generation was going to the dogs.

Man in Fort Smith, Ark., wants the city to get him a wife. If they did it would serve him right.

Dorland (Ore.) man asks divorce because she was a bootlegger instead of because she wasn't.

Hollywood beauty parlor remodels faces. If it isn't kept busy it certainly should be.

Syracuse boy of 11 goes to college. Some day you may see a college campus full of horses.

SALESMAN SAM



OF NO USE TO HIM

By SWAN

LETTER FROM LESLIE PRESCOTT TO LESLIE PRESCOTT, CON-TINUED

Almost as an inspiration, when I saw how terribly Mr. Cocoran felt at my father's illness, I told him that I had come to him to find out where I could obtain some money on my pearls.

Do you want to borrow money my dear? he asked. "If you do, of course I will lend it to you."

"No, I do not, dear Mr. Cocoran, but you know at the time of my marriage I was given a very wonderful string of pearls."

"I didn't know it, child."

"Well, of course, if that were well I would ask him for the money, but he's Mr. Cocoran. I think it is foolish for a woman in as moderate circumstances as are those of Jack's and mine, to wear so much money about her neck."

With this I took my pearls out and held them up to him.

"They are very beautiful, my dear, but I don't know whether they are real or false," he said.

"That's just it. I could wear the false ones and be just as satisfied as I am with these. You see, Mr. Cocoran, the expense of my illness has just been a great sum of money through a friend. I don't want to ask him for money because he needs every cent to make good his friend's defalcation."

"Consequently I thought that I could sell two or three of these jewels and still have plenty to wear while helping Jack a little."

"But I would give you the money," Leslie, said Mr. Cocoran. "Why do

you insist upon selling these pretty babies?"

"I wouldn't feel right to borrow the money of you, Mr. Cocoran. I would much rather sell them."

"Well, I will do it if you wish me to, although I think you are rather foolish. Did your father give you this string of pearls?"

"No."

"I thought he didn't. I didn't remember them among the wedding presents."

"I was wearing them at my wedding, perhaps you will remember."

"No dear, I was only looking at your own sweet face."

"I didn't think your mother would make you such an expensive present."

"She didn't," I answered, and then I was very sorry I spoke as I saw the glance Mr. Cocoran gave me.

Then without thinking I did a great big lie. "Karl Wainwright gave them to me," I said.

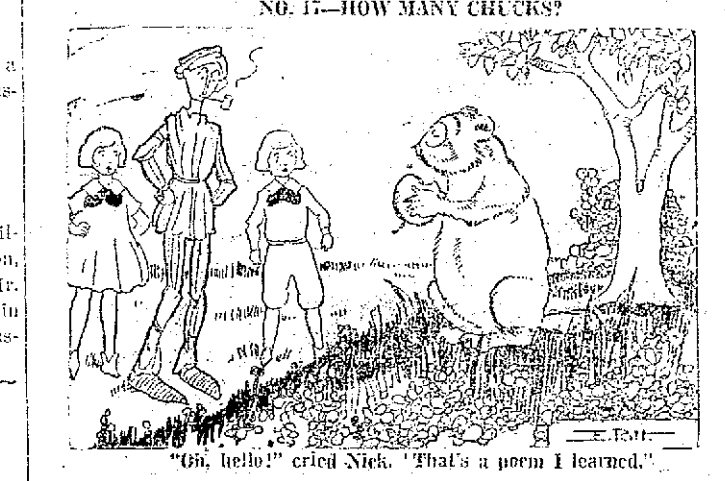
TOMORROW—The letter continued—A high offer.

CLUB WOMEN ASKED TO OBSERVE ARMISTICE DAY

Associated Press.
LOUISVILLE, Ky., Oct. 16.—Club women of Kentucky have been asked by the Federation of Women's Clubs to cooperate with the American Legion as much as possible in the observance of Armistice Day November 11. Cities which have women's clubs but not post of the American Legion have been asked to confer with state headquarters of the legion to learn methods of commemorating the day.

Adventures of The Twins

By Olive Roberts Barton
NO. 17—HOW MANY CHUCKS?



"Oh, hello!" cried Nick. "That's a poem I learned."

"How many chucks can a woodchuck and it isn't woodchuck feathers."

At this Goosey Gander blushed so that even the knob on his nose turned red. And as he couldn't think of her Dodge were walking along the orchard in Squeaky-Mon Land.

"What's that?" asked a voice suddenly, and there sat Wally Woodchuck on his hind legs eating a sweet apple.

"Oh, hello!" cried Nick. "That's a poem I learned. It's a riddle. It's in one of my books. Do you know the answer?"

Wally threw the core of his apple away. "Haven't any idea," he said. "But then I didn't hear it very well. Perhaps if you would say it over again more slowly."

"All right!" said Nick. "How many chucks can a woodchuck chuck?"

If a woodchuck could chuck wood? "Oh, yes! Yes, indeed!" nodded Wally, pretending to look wise. "I would have to figure it out. I've been so busy lately about my diet that I've been neglecting my book learning. And I was never much good at figures."

"Figures! Ha, ha, ha! That's good!" said Goosey Gander, who was passing by. "If you just had a looking glass you'd know how right you are. Since you've started stuffing yourself like a sausage your figure is about as fine as a soft pillow."

"Never mind!" said Wally quickly. "I know what pillows are stuffed with."

"How many chucks can a woodchuck chuck?"

"Chucks!" said Nick. "Chucks!" repeated Wally. "Can a woodchuck chuck?" repeated Wally patiently.

"If a woodchuck could chuck wood!" Suddenly Wally put down his hands and looked at Nick sharply.

"Say," he said conspicuously. "There is no sense to that. I believe you're making fun of me!"

The Twins and the fairymen laughed. "Yes, we were, Wally. But you are good natured, we thought you wouldn't mind."

Nancy took a cake out of her pocket and held it up.

"How many cakes can a woodchuck eat, if the cakes are sweet and good?"

"I'll show you," said Wally. "I can count better that way."

(To Be Continued.)

Berton Braley's Poem

PLAYMATES

We played and fought together
When we were kids of ten;
The building of a feather,
We were true buddies then.
Long since we've changed and shifted
Around about the chart,
And slowly we have drifted
And wandered far apart.

We differ in opinions,
Our work is not the same;
In various dominions,
We've played a different game;
He doesn't plan in my way,
His methods are strange to me,
He walks another highway,
He sails another sea.

Yet when we get together
In spite of years gone by,
We're still boys of a feather,
This childhood pal and I.
No time nor change can smother
The love two men can know,
Who loved and fought each other
So many years ago.

SOLDIERS TO PLAY FOOTBALL AT FORT THOMAS

Associated Press.
FORT THOMAS, Ky., Oct. 17.—Nothing is being left undone at the Fort Thomas Military Post to encourage athletics in army life. A number of plans for promoting physical development among the soldiers have been completed by Colonel Joseph M. Quinn, post commandant, and in order to provide a suitable athletic field for various games, a hill in the southern part of the reservation is being leveled by a large force of workmen.

When completed, this field will be approximately 150 by 250 yards in dimensions, and will afford an ideal place for track meets, football, baseball and other athletic events.

Several football teams are being organized among the soldiers of the Tenth Infantry, who will look games with community teams. Baseball teams have been active during the summer months, and these are to be augmented by other teams next year, it was said.

The weekly boxing bouts at the fort have become a popular fixture and draw enormous crowds from Cincinnati and the nearby Kentucky cities. These matches, which have been held in the natural open air arena during the summer months, will be continued throughout the winter in the post's indoor arena.

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SOCIETY

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FROM "HIAWATHA"

Gitchie Manitou, the mighty,
Stood erect, and called the nations,
Called the tribes of men together.

"O, my children! my poor children!
Listen to the words of wisdom,
Listen to the words of warning,
From the lips of the Great Spirit,
From the Master of Life who made you

"I have given you lands to hunt in,
I have given you streams to fish in,
I have given you bear and bison,
I have given you roe and reindeer,
I have given you brant and beaver,
Filled the marshes full of wild-fowl,
Filled the rivers full of fishes:
Why then are you not contented?
Why then will you hunt each other?"

"I am weary of your quarrels,
Weary of your wars and bloodshed.
Weary of your prayers for vengeance
Of your wranglings and dissensions:
All your strength is in your union,
All your danger is in discord:
Therefore be at peace henceforward,
And as brothers live together."
—Henry W. Longfellow.

Dinner Party at Hotel Cumberland

Fred Burdett of the Burdett Lighting Co., of Louisville, entertained at dinner last night at the Hotel Cumberland for M. Tones, J. L. Manning, and Mr. and Mrs. George Schenck.

Line Party Last Night at Murring

The following enjoyed a line party at the Murring theatre last night in honor of George Perkins of Lowe, W. Va.: Dr. and Mrs. C. K. Brosheer, Miss Minnie Perkins, Miss Margaret Perkins, Miss Nan Caldwell, Miss Virginia Brosheer, Miss Elizabeth Brosheer and Mr. Perkins.

Miss Wilcox Guest Here

Miss Frances Wilcox of Barboursville was the guest last evening at dinner and the show, of Miss Isabel Dodson, Mrs. Warren Rash and Miss Della Richards. Miss Wilcox recently came from the school of Journalism of the University of Missouri to the staff of the Mountain Advocate. Miss Dodson, Mrs. Rash and Miss Richards are all graduates of the University of Missouri.

Mrs. Miller Entertains for Sister

Mrs. A. B. Miller entertained yesterday afternoon at her home, "Hearts and Flowers," in Westview, with a Halloween party in honor of her sister, Miss Leaty Locke, of Decatur, Tenn. Autumn flowers and Halloween decorations were used in the house and on the lawn. A salad course was served carrying out the Halloween idea. Halloween contests were held, Mrs. D. G. Faulkner and Mrs. I. J. Walls being the winners in these. The guests were: Mrs. R. P. Crockett, Mrs. A. C. Carr, Mrs. T. T. Gibson, Mrs. F. R. Whalin, Mrs. W. F. Jordan, Mrs. Shultz Gibson, Mrs. C. A. Blackburn, Mrs. R. K. Judy, Mrs. C. P. Davidson, Mrs. W. R. Pool, Mrs. F. L. Remmebaum, Mrs. H. C. Martin, Mrs. S. M. Reams, Mrs. J. H. Chesney, Mrs. O. R. Austin, Mrs. R. C. Mitchell, Mrs. William Wallbrecht, Mrs. G. W. Easton, Mrs. W. C. Ellidge, Mrs. C. G. Smyth, Mrs. T. C. Zimmerman, Mrs. M. S. Callison, Mrs. Francis Callison, Mrs. J. M. Rogan, Mrs. Charles Irvine, Mrs. W. S. Anderson, Mrs. J. T. Alderson, Mrs. C. K. Brosheer, Mrs. J. H. McGiboney, Mrs. D. Z. Gibson, Mrs. J. J. Walls, Mrs. P. W. McKinney, Mrs. W. R. Hawkins, Mrs. W. R. Caskey, Mrs. D. G. Faulkner, Mrs. M. E. Brown, Miss Frances Wilson of Nashville, Miss Elizabeth Collier, Miss Emma Hayes, Mrs. R. N. Price, and Mrs. Zanna Erwin of Harrogate and Miss Miss Locke.

Official Board of Church Entertained

The official board of the M. E. church, South, and their wives were delightfully entertained at dinner last night by the Rev. and Mrs. W. K. McClure at Kentenva Hall. The hall was attractively decorated in potted plants and cut flowers and an interesting program topped off the excellent dinner. Mrs. J. H. McGiboney served admirably as toastmistress. L. J. Pumphrey talked on the Church and Sunday school 25 years ago. Mrs. D. Z. Gibson discussed the progress of the church, and Mrs. John Owsley prophesied the future of the church for the next 25 years. A spirited debate on "Which Is the Stronger, Man or Woman?" was argued by J. S. Wright, J. O. Bellah and Dr. T. T. Gibson for the men and Mrs. M. G. Hubbard, Mrs. J. A. Smith and Mrs. J. H. McGiboney for the women, the women, of course.

SISTER Mary's KITCHEN



A HALLOWEEN SUPPER FOR SPIRITS TO SERVE

Pumpkin pie, apples, nuts and cider seem to go hand in hand with Halloween, but time-honored as they are, there's once in a while a hostess who wants "something different" for her party.

Perhaps the party has dealt heavily with the "occult." What more apropos than a ghost supper served by the spirits themselves?

Menu for Ghost Supper

Cream of Corn Soup
Toasted Crackers
Spooks Salad
Orange Ice
Soothsayer's Puff-Balls
Coffee
The cream of corn soup is topped with a spoonful of whipped cream. Fresh buttered popcorn can be served with it in place of the toasted crackers.

Shades of chicken, being the "piece de resistance," requires a recipe.

Shades of Chicken

One year old chicken, 1 pint oysters, 1-2 pound mushrooms, 3 sweet green peppers, 1-4 cup butter, 3 table-spoons flour, 2 teaspoon salt, 1-4 teaspoon pepper, 1 cup chicken stock, 1 cup thin cream or rich milk, 1 table-spoon minced parsley, 1 egg yolk, 1-3 cup minced celery, paprika, hot boiled rice.

Stew chicken in water to cover. The chicken should be tender but not falling from the bones when removed from the fire. Remove from broth and let stand until cold. Remove from bones and cut in neat cubes. Great care should be taken that every bit of gristle is removed from the meat. There should be about four cups. Pick over and wash oysters.

Peel and slice mushrooms. Scald peppers, slip off thin outer film and remove seeds and white ribs. Mince. Melt butter, add mushrooms and cook five minutes. Add flour and stir until smooth. Slowly add stock and milk, stirring constantly. When perfectly smooth add chicken dice, oysters, peppers and celery. Cook until the oysters plump. Add parsley and stir in eggs slightly beaten. Remove from fire and keep hot over hot water. Serve on mounds of rice with a generous dash of paprika.

This rule is calculated to serve 12 persons.

Spook's Salad

Fill apple shells with a mixture of celery, apple and nuts.
The proportions are as follows:
Two cups diced apples, 2 cups diced celery, 2 cups seeded white grapes, 2 cups nut meats, shredded coconut, salad dressing.
Mix apples, celery, nuts and grapes with salad dressing. Fill apple cups

with mixture and shroud with cocoa nut.

To make apple shells cut a slice from stem end of apple. With a grape-fruit knife or strong spoon scoop out the inside of the apple, leaving a shell about one-half inch thick.

Soothsayer's Puff-Balls

One and one-half cups sugar, 2-3 cup butter and hot mixture, 1 cup water, 2 1-2 cups pastry flour, 3 tea-spoons baking powder, 1-8 teaspoon salt, 1 teaspoon vanilla, whites four eggs.

Cream shortening and slowly beat in sugar. Mix and sift flour, salt and baking powder. Add alternately with

water to first mixture. Add vanilla. Beat whites of eggs until stiff and dry and fold into mixture the last thing before baking. Bake in tiny round-bottomed muffin tins. Capsules containing "fortunes" can be stirred into the batter with the flour.

Use the largest sized capsules known as "double 0." Write a fortune on thin slips of paper and put in capsules. There should be a different fortune for each guest, and care must be observed that each cake contains a capsule.

These cakes are frosted with an icing made with the yolks of the eggs.

Yellow Frosting

Four egg yolks, 1 1-2 cups powdered sugar, 2 table-spoons softened butter, 1 teaspoon vanilla.

Beat eggs slightly. Sift in sugar and continue beating. Add butter bit by bit, beating hard. Beat in vanilla. Spread on cakes and let harden.

ROSE HILL NOTES

J. B. Molin of Ravenna, Ky., is visiting homefolks.
Guy Hobbs is attending school at Berea, Ky.

Miss Thelma Ely of Gate City, is visiting friends and relatives in and

near Rose Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Fugate spent Sunday in Middlesboro and dined with friends.

W. L. Clark has purchased the garage and is moving in the flat where he will live.

W. R. Sulfridge and Rev. Poulston returned Monday night from Houston conference.

will meet Thursday night at the high school. The community League of Rose Hill school. There is a great amount of business to transact and it is hoped that a good number will attend.



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Crepe Satin
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Cocoa
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Velvets
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Georgette Dresses
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Tulle Dresses

COLORS:

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Brown
Navy
Tan
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LOT OF PRESIDENT HAS AMEL- IORATED SINCE OLDEN TIMES

Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 17.—Modern presidents may have a large amount of routine work developing upon them, but there are some details attended to regularly by their early predecessors, that are hardly considered important enough nowadays to refer to the White House.

Among these, according to Charles Kohen, Washington philatelist, and

document collector, was the trifling detail of signing ships' clearance papers. Among a number of ancient documents Mr. Kohen recently picked up where two such clearances for small vessels, one signed "G. Washington," the other bearing the large, scribbled signature of John Adams.

The paper signed by Washington in September 1794 attested to the fact that the 82-ton schooner "Eliza" of New York was owned by citizens of the new nation and was duly allowed to set sail for the West Indies with a cargo of flour, hoops, onions, staves, shingles and scantlings. The form was made out in English, French and Dutch.

The document signed by President Adams bore also as a countersignature of Timothy Pickens, secretary of state, was dated August, 1798; showed the proper nationality of the vessel, the "Endeavour," and gave leave to depart from Portland, Maine, to Bennebar, with a cargo of boards.

September 1794 attested to the fact that the 82-ton schooner "Eliza" of

The most interesting, London, of these clearance papers was an attestation at the bottom of the sheet praying that "Most Serene, Serene, Most Pleasant, Pleasant, High, Illustrious, Noble, Honorable, Venerable, Wise and Prudent, Lords, Emperors, Kings, Republics, Princes, Dukes, Earls, Marquis, Schepens, Judges, Councilors" and a long list of other officers "of all the good cities and places who shall see these presents or hear them read" to recognize the American registry.

Mr. Kohen has also a number of envelopes showing the difference in postal rates and speed of service since the early days of the post office. One contained a letter signed by James Madison as secretary of state, in 1804, to James Sheafe of Portsmouth, N. H., and bore a stamp showing the fee for the trip to have been ten cents. Another carried a letter from the recent Amundsen polar expedition, addressed to President Harding, which was sent by airplane mail to Nome, Alaska, and thence across the continent to Washington for 12 cents, including registration fee.

Another interesting document in this collection is one relating to the history of the famous Lord Fairfax, who was granted large estates in Virginia by the King of England during early colonial history. Lord Thomas played the sheriff of Loudoun County, which adjoined his estates, to take into custody Ann Seward who was charged with trespassing upon the Fairfax estate in 1763. According to the yellowed, torn manuscript, the said Ann had wrought damages estimated at 550 pounds, for which the said Lord Thomas required payment.

the vegetable list. In 100 calories of onions, 40 per cent is fat food. Baked beans are still good as ever. If they don't interfere with your digestion, they are a good fat producing food used once or twice a week. Peas and string beans are also excellent. Cheap fats are oleomargarine and cotton seed oil.

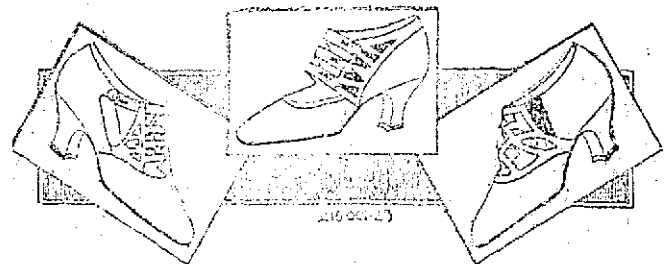
Potato chips contain 61 per cent fat. Milk shares its value as a food material, in good proportions, containing 52 per cent fat, 29 per cent carbohydrates and 19 per cent protein.

It is well to learn and practice economy in buying food. But one should

always remember that there is no better economy than the conservation of one's working power. I wish that the millions of our people, who are forced through necessity to live with in well defined cost limitations, could in some way acquire the knowledge by which they would thoroughly know and be able to select, from those three great groups, a proper nourishing diet. The positive health program that so many newspapers with the aid of scientists and physicians are carrying out, at the present time, will help to a marked degree in bringing this about.

Mrs. Burkes' Father Dies
Mrs. John Burkes returned Monday from Owen, Ky., where she has been during the illness and death of her father, H. S. Miller, who was buried Sunday. Mrs. Burkes is ill from an injury received on her trip home.

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Be Regular. To get results, take your adjustments when advised by your chiropractor.

II.
Be Frank. Chiropractors speak freely. Your spine tells the truth.

III.
Be Punctual. Other people are waiting.

IV.
Be Reasonable. One adjustment will help, many are necessary. Why expect health in a few days when long continued treatment from other sources have proven unsuccessful?

V.
Be Honest. Say you are feeling better if you are.

VI.
Be Fair. The chiropractor is doing his best with the material you supply.

VII.
Be in Earnest. Life is too short to waste time over trifles.

VIII.
Be Wise. Feeling good, keep on! We want to make it last.

IX.
Be Patient. We are more concerned over health than dollars. Nature takes time.

X.
Be Broadminded. The chiropractor will not waste hours fooling with a stethoscope, vibrator, violet rays, or other instrument. He is doing all that is necessary when he gives the adjustment.

XI.
Be Inquisitive. The chiropractor is glad to answer questions asked in good faith.

XII.
Be Pleasant. Adopt the Chiropractic motto, "KEEP SMILING." It will help both of us.

XIII.
Be Sensible. You are but one of the millions of sick persons in the world. The chiropractor knows his job.

XIV.
Be Progressive. Would you be satisfied with conditions existing twenty-five years ago? Chiropractic is a new science but like other useful discoveries, has broken all precedents of progressiveness.

XV.
Be Safe. Go to the Chiropractor first. When unable to come to the office, phone Dr. Whitaker, Cumb. 173.

XVI.
When you begin taking adjustments you are expected to cease taking medicine and other treatment—it will help us to get you better results.

XVII.
Spinal analysis and consultation are free, and put you under no obligation to us, but if you are not in earnest in your health, please do not take our time. Other people want to get well.

XVIII.
The time to have children's spines examined is NOW.

XIX.
My chief aim is to give service and health, and this aim can be best attained by our co-operation; therefore we expect you to follow our instructions if you expect to get well.

Your Health

Foods That Make Blood (Fats)

The fats from the third group in the foods that are a necessary requirement for the upkeep and health of your body. In the actual order of use, they probably rank second, the carbohydrates being first and the proteins third as regards percentage value in calories.

You will remember that in the fuel foods consisting of starch, fat and sugar, fat is also second. Its place and value as a food in making blood for burning tissue is therefore well defined.

Some people are real enemies of fat. Yet fat is not as surplus, non-working tissue, is absolutely essential for normal bodily health and growth. If your body does not receive some food rich in fats it will burn up. The tissues will be drawn upon to supply the deficiency. You will be thin, undernourished and weak in disease resistance.

There are some foods, rich in fats, which will help to supply your body with blood to build tissue for fuel:

Butter, cream and cheese are in the front rank. Roast beef, roast pork and ham are runners up. Spinach, the great regulator, is rich in fat, eat it whether you like it or not. Onions well cooked come second to spinach in

SUCH IS LIFE

"Eighteen years ago I had three ribs broken, fourteen years ago my right leg; eleven years ago I nearly went over with typhoid fever and since then have had awful stomach and liver trouble. I was filled with gas most all the time. I would have epileptic attacks so bad as to become unconscious. No medicine helped me and doctors advised an operation. One day talking with a stranger he recommended Mayr's Wonderful Remedy, which helped me at once." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments. One dose will convince or money refunded. At Lee's and druggists everywhere.

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AUTHORS OF EUROPE SEEK INSPIRATION IN UNITED STATES

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Oct. 16.—While stage and concert platform present the culture of Europe to New Yorkers, the city's bookstalls are cluttered with foreign books and magazines which bring back to its native hearth the influence which Main Street and Broadway have had on the Old World.

Current publications from the European capitals lately arrived in the book shops of the city indicate that youthful writers and artists, and even many of those who already had achieved fame before the war, are turning to this side of the Atlantic for inspiration.

From France, Germany, Italy, Spain, the Scandinavian countries and even Russia, come lists of translations of books by Americans. Magazines vie with each other in translations of the American "classics" and of the work of younger men who have helped in the renaissance of Anglo-American letters which has left its marks throughout the reading world.

Poe, Whitman, Cooper, Hawthorne, Melville and many other American writers are represented in translations lately arrived from Paris, Stockholm and Berlin.

Younger writers enthusiastically proclaimed their debt to America and lyricized the power, energy and youth of the New World; their literary achievements reflect eager consumption of everything American.

Books of music show that composers have been using American Indian and American negro melodies as the basis for their work; and that the possibilities of the use of jazz are seriously considered. Less serious publications tell of American variety dancers and singers whose popularity is so great that they can almost name their own salaries.

German and Danish architects insist that the jagged skyscraper sky-

line of the American city is the forerunner of a new modern architecture, the beauty of which is comparable only to the sheer simplicity of early classic forms.

Serious students of aesthetics point to the United States as the only country that has escaped from the ruin of western European civilization which they say, they assert, will come from the fertile fields of the great middlewest, they assert, will come a national culture which will dwarf the efforts of a decadent Europe.

From the colorful, concise style of American advertising, foreign writers say, will spring in time a new era of literature, which the gradual influx of European traditionalism will tone to perfection.

From the machine-like perfection of practical conveniences of every-day American life, eventually there will come an opportunity for leisure and the creation of beauty, one young Frenchman breathlessly exclaims as he somewhat incoherently praises New York as the dream city of the world.

"The tide has turned," says another; "the day of the Latin Quarter is over. Our Parisian Latin Quarter now is a place to which we go that we may meet Americans. And our greatest dream is to go to America."

Other critics chide their younger countrymen and point to what they call the crudity, the lack of artistic finish of America, only to be answered: "You and your culture are old and dying; America is young, strong and alive."

An Italian art magazine prints a picture of a hynotype machine which it says has more beauty in its strength and perfect efficiency than the Venus de Milo.

And to cap the argument, Americans publishing art magazines in Paris, London and Rome have abandoned their traditional scoffing at their na-

KENTUCKY WEEKLY INDUSTRIAL REVIEW

New Industries and Buildings in All Sections of State Are Reported

Prosperity breeds content. Where industries provide steady employment and maintain equitable working conditions radicalism can gain no foothold. Every community should do its utmost to encourage the establishment of permanent factories, plants and shops.

Fulton—New factory of American Cigar Company completed.

Jackson—Contract to be let for new \$100,000 waterworks.

Marion—Work on new \$60,000 St. Peter's Catholic church making good progress.

Irvine—Contract to be let for building \$100,000 bridge over Kentucky river.

Covington—New Louisville & Nashville Railroad freight depot to be erected at approximate cost of \$120,000.

Falmouth—New high school completed.

Morganfield—Federal highway between here and Henderson to be shortened by construction of new bridge over Highland creek.

Cow Creek—New Baptist church completed.

Angusta—Construction of first of five transmission lines of local power plant under way.

Louisville—Contract let for improvement of Muldrough Hill section of Louisville & Nashville Railroad to cost more than \$500,000.

Manchester—\$26,000 street being constructed.

Louisville—Contract let for construction of new fire engine house to cost \$20,844.

Fronton—Hard-surface road from here to Portsmouth, Ohio completed.

Adairville—Foundation work on new

association tobacco receiving warehouse progressing rapidly.

Louisville—New eighteen-story building to be erected at cost of \$2,000,000.

Adairville—New business block under construction being rushed to completion.

Southern—Road improvements on Main street under way.

Louisville—Historic Taylor track on Slaughter avenue to be developed as modern house subdivision.

Indian Lake—Contract to be let for the resurfacing of Federal Highway from here to Daviess County line.

Louisville—New Shawnee Christian church completed at total cost of \$85,000.

Cayce—New school building of \$1,000,000 Dix River power plant in this vicinity under way; 300 men employed constructing transmission lines.

London—Construction of new hospital for Kentucky Children's Home Society under way. Construction of Bulfinch and Nelson counties section of Louisville-Hardstown road in progress.

Lexington—\$250,000 company organized to develop coal tract of several thousand acres in Elkhorn district.

Hickman—Cotton prices steadily go-

ing up reaching 10 cents per pound during the past week.

Mogg—Drakesboro Coal Company, capitalized \$100,000, to develop local coal lands. Louisville & Nashville Railroad has spent or authorized for additions and betterments since end of federal control \$88,000,000.

Confers M. M. Degree on Four

Middlesboro Chapter No. 135 R. A. M. of Middlesboro, Tuesday night, conferred to Mark Master degree on four candidates, Andrew Jackson Lawson.

of Loyal, Ky. Carl Addison Bell, of Rosworth, Ky., Sam Keres and M. L. Hill, of Middlesboro.

DO YOU WONDER?

Asks This Lady, "That I'm a Believer in Cardui?"—Had Been So Weak She Had to Go to Bed.

Osawatimie, Kans.—Mrs. E. E. Keast, formerly of Illinois, residing here, says: "We moved to this state eleven years ago, and I had good health for a long while; and then some year or so ago I had a bad sick spell."

"I got so weak I couldn't go. I couldn't stand on my feet at all. I had to go to bed. I suffered a great deal. I was so nervous I felt I couldn't live. I tried medicines, and everything had the best of attention, yet I wasn't able to get up. I lay for three months, not able to do anything."

"My husband is a bill poster and has circulars distributed. One day there chanced to be a Ladies Birthday Almanac among his circulars. I read it, and told some of the family to get me a bottle of Cardui."

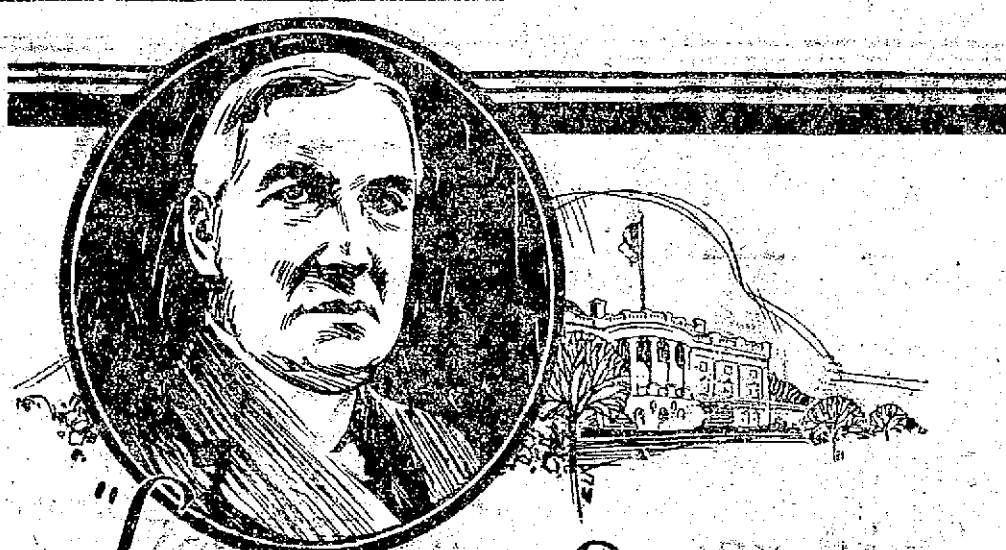
"I quit all other medicines and took it (Cardui) faithfully, and two weeks from the time I began to take Cardui I was out of bed—better than for months."

"I kept it up and continued to improve until I was a well woman."

"Do you wonder that I am a believer in Cardui? I certainly am. And I am sure there is no better tonic made for women than Cardui."



These assembled jurors represent the first mixed jury ever drawn in the United States. They were impaneled in October, 1867, to try Jefferson Davis, president of the Confederacy, on an indictment charging treason. The trial was never held because of the writ of amnesty issued by President Johnson, which pardoned all participants in the Rebellion. This rare print, one of the six permitted to be taken was found between the leaves of an old book recently sold at auction in Richmond, Va.



"Government Ownership A Colossal Blunder"

The Late President HARDING

President Harding, in a speech at Kansas City, took a firm stand against Government ownership of the railroads. He said in part as follows:

"It is worth while to bear in mind, in the face of current agitation, that we could not replace our railroads for a ready sum of money. The valuation placed upon them by the Interstate Commerce Commission, and it is fortunate for our people that we do not have to contemplate a rate structure founded upon replacement cost. Events of the last few years have made us all realize that the railroads must be administered under some policy that will make it possible to find the capital wherewith to expand the existing systems as business shall require, without imposing an impossible burden upon industry and consumption."

"The railroad question is no theoretical problem. When the Government undertook operation during the war and standardized wages and was caught in the sweeping current of mounting costs, it created a situation to ignore which would quickly develop a national menace. At an awful cost we learned the extravagance and mounting burden of Government operation. Yet there are to-day very insistent advocates of Government ownership. Frankly,

I do not share their views. Our political system has not reached a state of development when we can insure proper administration."

"I believe it would be a colossal blunder which would destroy initiative, infect us with political corruption, create regional jealousies and impose incalculable cost on the public treasury. But we must find a solution of the rate problems and the necessary expansion of facilities and find that solution in spite of the prejudices of the present-day sponsors for operations and the present-day destroyers who would bankrupt or confiscate, else Government ownership and operation will become an accepted necessity. Nor do I share the views of those who would lower rates without regard to railroad good fortune. The prosperity of the railways is the prosperity of the American people, and the property rights in railway investment are entitled to every consideration under our Constitution, which is due to property rights anywhere. Any tendency toward confiscation will lead to confusion and chaos and destroy the very foundation on which the Republic is builded."

This advertisement does not reproduce all of President Harding's speech; in which he urged the consolidation of the railroads; but it is interesting to note his position on the subject insofar as it referred to Government ownership of the railroads as advocated by many politicians and even sincere people who think this is a solution of the railroad problems. The President's insight into the workings of the Government and his knowledge of the handling of railroads by the Government during the War made him go on record strongly against the Government's undertaking again the running of the railroads.



DRESS and HAT Sale

THIS WEEK The best values we have offered this Season

HATS

50 Hats, Values up to \$6.50	\$3.50
100 Hats, Values up to \$8.50	\$5.00
50 Hats, Values up to \$12.50	\$8.50

The Newest Styles and Colorings offered in the sale—
—styles that are up-to-the-minute and easy to wear—

Dresses

Dresses that arrived this week and some from our regular stock included in the sale.

50 Dresses, Values to \$12.50	\$7.95
50 Dresses, Values to \$19.95	\$12.50
50 dresses, Values to \$29.50	\$19.50

— Sizes 14 to 52½ —

Velvets, Cantons, Poirer-Twill, Charmeen, Jersey
Twill Cords, Georgette, Brocaded Silks,
— Satin Crepes —

The New Brown Shades, Black, Navy, Tan, Cocoa
New Aprons—Drape, Panel and Coat Style

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Cumberland Ave.

Middlesboro, Ky.

BALKAN

F. E. Gilbert, general manager, has returned from Indiana. He was accompanied by his wife, Mrs. C. Franklin and son, Joe.

Mr. and Mrs. George Whitcomb of Harlan visited Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Roberts over Saturday.

G. T. Buch spent Sunday in Pineville visiting relatives.

Rev. Ward who is president of Union College at Barboursville spent the week end with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Gilbert and children were shopping in Pineville Sunday.

Mrs. Jim Owens left Sunday for Packard, Ky., as her parents will be joined by her husband in two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Call of Elizabethtown, Ky., spent the week end with relatives.

Dr. and Mrs. C. I. Clayton and daughter, Inez, have returned from a visit with relatives in Knoxville, Tenn.

Mrs. Stacie Osborne went to Wallins Saturday.

Miss Bill Collins is visiting her brother, Russ Collins of Harlan.

Clarence Fulkins has as his guest his mother, Mrs. I. D. Williams of Harlan.

Miss Dewey Crayth, childhood friend, has as her guest her sister, Miss Stanford.

Miss Edith Gothard went to Pineville Monday.

A splendid program was furnished by the school children on October 12. The main room was filled to capacity. The program was under the management of Professor Collett.

Consolidated agent for the Progresso Italo-Americano, of New York was visiting at the home of Jack Campbell the latter part of the week.

Pete Mazzardi of Lynch visited Mr. and Mrs. J. Dusi and family over Sunday.

G. Adams and Mrs. H. Summers have concluded their visit with their sister, Miss Walter Gothard.

Everett Jones of Packard, Ky., formerly of Balkan was visiting here last week.

The following have returned from Jellico, where they enjoyed a celebration on Columbus Day: Tim Walters (Charlie Bussem), Alexander Camparom, Mr. Chick Best, Paulani, Charlie and Willie Paulani, Rupert and Truman Sarr, Frank and Brownie Chaffins, Elmer Hodges, Johnnie Dusi, Pete Camparom, Mr. and Mrs. Gino Cimini and A. Rassega. All reported a good time.

Mrs. Tom Jones was hostess to her sewing club last Thursday. Most all the members were present and reported an enjoyable afternoon.

Hill Linger Wedding
Shawnee, Tenn. Oct. 16—Alex Hill, of Forge Ridge and Miss Della Linger, daughter of Rev. U. T. Linger of Indian Creek, were united in marriage recently, by Rev. D. Edmondson.

SHAWNEE NEWS

John Robins of Middlesboro spent Sunday with relatives here.

P. H. Step has returned from a visit to his old home in Pineville.

C. B. Dutton and family of Middlesboro were visiting friends here Sunday.

D. M. England and family of New Lenoir spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hamilton.

J. P. Scott and family and Mrs. Melva of Kettle and wife were visiting relatives here recently.

Sherrill Green, son of J. A. Green, in dM. Green to Pine Mountain were in town Sunday in Shawnee the first of the week.

J. W. Scott and son Delbert of Middleboro visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Woods Step, Miss Sarah Hatfield and little Miss Pauline Step spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Peter Campbell, Cave Spring.

J. W. Hatcher and family were visiting friends in Lee County, Va. recently.

H. H. Overton and family of Middlesboro, motored to Shawnee Sunday.

C. H. Coleman of Kingsport is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Worey, and H. D. Yeary spent Sunday with relatives in Lee County, Va.

Mrs. George Russell has returned from a visit with friends at Pineville.

W. B. Engate and family of Middlesboro motored to Shawnee Sunday.

Miss Margaret Russell is visiting the family of her uncle, W. S. Bryant, at Powell's Station.

Rev. W. D. Limer filled his regular appointment at the M. E. Church, South Sunday.

EWING NOTES

Mrs. H. A. Johnson returned Friday from a visit to Louisville and Corbin.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Kirk of St. Charles visited in town Saturday and Sunday.

A large number of living people attended the football game between Danos and Henry College and Kentucky Wesleyan University at Big Stone Gap Saturday.

The son of Michael Nolan who is evidently shot himself in the leg, Friday is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Rowlett spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Rowlett and family.

Clint Dietrich had a sale of cattle at his home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Richmond and N. B. Richmond were among those who saw Yenni at the Mammal in Middlesboro Friday night.

Misses Mary Gibson and Bessie Kincaid, who are attending Martha's room as usual.

Washington College, spent the week end with friends.

Miss Ethel Hamilton, Miss Patricia and Mrs. A. C. Wynn were among those who attended the football game at M. E. Saturday.

Charles Brooks is ill from typhoid fever.

W. K. Schindler has sold his place at Rose Hill to W. I. Clark.

Mrs. Henry Hensley has returned to Harlan.

Miss Aida McNeil of Hoop, Penn. visited in town Saturday.

Mrs. Will Helms of Indiana visited in town Saturday.

The faculty of the Lee County Industrial School at Ewing, was highly entertained by the Rose Hill High School faculty Friday evening at the railroad bridge above Rose Hill. The party assembled at the Rose Hill Drug Store and hiked from there to the picnic grounds. A delicious supper was cooked over a fire and after which a number of games were enjoyed. Those who enjoyed this outing were: Misses Chas. Duncan, Copper, Gibson, Hamilton, L. Kate Jordan, Bales, and Mrs. E. H. M. Jann, Mrs. Yeary, Mr. Ketchum, Mrs. Russell, Prof. Jones, Prof. Jennings, Prof. Russell, Prof. L. L. and Prof. W. A. Berry.

LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. S. and children of Corbin are visiting. Mr. Moss, parents Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Moss and Mrs. Moss, parents of Mr. H. I. Ball.

Mrs. H. W. Hant of Harlan was here yesterday shopping.

Miss Nancy Howard will leave tonight for a two days trip to Louisville where she will attend a meeting of the women employees of the Kentucky Utilities Co.

George Perkins returned from a two week trip to Virginia on business today.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Anderson and their guests Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Anderson of Harlan went to Harlan, Va. today to visit the Anderson brothers.

A. C. Shelburne will be chairman of the Kiwanis Club program to be held in the Hotel Club about Kincaid, who are attending Martha's room as usual.

THE OPEN FORUM

Editor Daily News: In the Daily News of Monday some one claims, Feunmy suggests that to be and take be dropped to save the expense of a printer. I am glad to know that the word economy has not been lost in Middlesboro and I am one thinks of saving the people money. But I drop these two names over a technical point which the Court of Appeals has held in every case and nor affect the eligibility of a candidate. Should the people have a chance to say who their representatives shall be?

If either of them say the other candidates receive majority of the votes cast the two elected should be declared the choice of the people serve faithfully and have no more to do with the support of every citizen making this a little more difficult to deprive the people of their right of choice.

TAKE IT

Singing School at Harlan

Prof. Hezekiah Lewis and his Old Time Singing School composed of more than 20 singers in costume will be at Harlan high school Saturday night. The concert starting at 7 p. m. the public is invited. A free cream supper will follow the concert.

READ OUR WANT ADS

WANTED—First class Barber. Call Anthony Blacogin at City Barber Shop. 10-17 pd.

FOR SALE—5 room bungalow on Prospect Hill. Lots 94-120. Easy payments. Gold phone 770. 10-17 pd.

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms. New Phone 205.

FOR RENT—Five office rooms on section Citizens Bank Bldg. on Jefferson on 20th St. Lights and water furnished. Rent separately or all together. Call on Mrs. L. L. L. 10-17 pd.

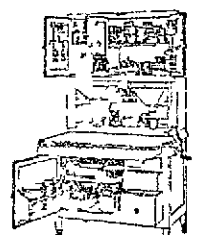
WANTED—Sack of clean cottons. Must be in good sized pieces and in Daily News office.

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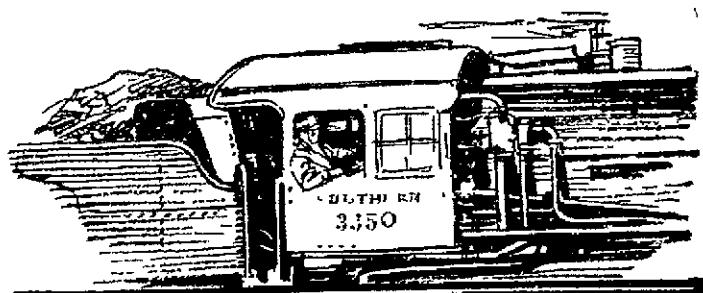
In the past five years the Southern Railway System has paid to its employees wages amounting to \$422,000,000—an average of \$230,000 a day—distributed through the Southern purchases and savings.

Average earnings of our employees are now more than \$1,500 a year, as compared with \$880 in 1917. The rise in wages has been greater than the rise in the cost of living, so that the families of 60,000 employees whose livelihood is gained in Southern Railway service have happily been enabled to raise their standards of living.

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